

Astronomy Pacing Guide 2019-2020



Dates	Instructional Unit	SE's	Suggested Days
First Nine			
Weeks 8/19-10/18 44 Days 10/10-10/18	Familiarity with the Sky	5 A B C	13
	Our Place in Space	6A B C D E	17
	Role of the Sun, Earth, and Moon	7 A B C D	14
10/18	CBA 1 Window(10/10-10/18)		
	End of First Nine Weeks (10/18)		
Second Nine			
Weeks 10/21-12/19 39 Days 12/16-12/19 12/20	Reasons for the Seasons	8 A B C D	11
	The importance of Astronomy	4 A B C D	16
	All Planets are Different	9 A B C D	12
	CBA 2 Semester Exams (12/16-12/19)		
	End of Semester (12/19)		
Third Nine			
Weeks 1/8-3/6 41 Days 2/27-3/6	The Stars in our Solar System	10 A B C D	13
	The Life Cycle of Stars	11 A B C D E F G	16
	Galaxies	12 A B C	12
3/6	CBA 3 Window (2/27-3/6)		
	End of Third Nine Weeks (3/6)		
Fourth Nine			
Weeks 3/16-5/21	Theories of Cosmology	13 A B	8
48 Days	Space Exploration	14 A B C D	17
TBD	Exoplanets	14 E	8
5/17/5/21	Fate of the Universe	13 C	5
	Semester Exams((TDB)		
	End of Semester (5/21)		

Process skills will be embedded throughout the year.

7/31/2019

^{**}Dates are flexible within nine weeks as long as the content is learned prior to CBA exams. CBA windows are including a test day, a data day and a reteach day.